



COSTA MESA SANITARY DISTRICT
MINUTES OF RECYCLING COMMITTEE MEETING
JANUARY 6, 2004

The Costa Mesa Sanitary District Recycling Committee met at 9:00 a.m. in conference room 1A at the Civic Center, 77 Fair Drive, Costa Mesa.

Directors Present: Dan Worthington, Greg Woodside

Staff Present: Rob Hamers, Tom Fauth, Joan Revak, Bobby Young

Director Worthington called the meeting to order at 9:00 a. m.

STRATEGIC PLANNING 2003 – PUBLIC OUTREACH – CLASSROOM RECYCLING PROJECTS

Director Worthington reported that he and Mr. Fauth will make a vermicomposting presentation at Rea School on January 13, 2004, and additional presentations have been scheduled

COSTAMAZING – DISTRICT PARTICIPATION

Ms. Revak presented the finalized packets featuring the Adobe at Estancia Park pepper trees with the peppercorns for distribution at the CostaMazing Fun Run on February 7, 2004. The card features a picture of the Adobe at the Costa Mesa Estancia at 1900 Adams Avenue with history on the Adobe and the peppercorns. The District will host a booth at the park.

2003 SCHOOL TELEPHONE BOOK RECYCLING PROGRAM

Ms. Revak reported the 2003 School Telephone Book Recycling Program began on December 1, 2003 and will run to January 12, 2004. Twenty-seven schools are participating.

2003 CHRISTMAS TREE RECYCLING PROGRAM

Christmas tree collection began on December 26, 2003. Director Worthington reported the locations selling Christmas trees in Costa Mesa sold out of trees and noted the grocery stores did not sell trees this year which may have contributed to heavy sales at the tree lots.



RECYCLING BATTERIES

Mr. Fauth and Director Worthington visited a large battery supplier in the City of Costa Mesa with regard to new recycling requirements that will require removal of batteries from the waste stream.

Mr. Fauth presented a pilot program outline for the collection and disposal of batteries at ten schools over a two-month period to begin in April. The proposal will be presented to the Board at the January 8, 2004 Regular Meeting.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

There were no public comments.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:55 a.m.

Secretary

President